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<b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES          DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)          CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 USC 371 AND 37 CFR 1.491</b>		U.S. APPLICATION NO. <b>10/521787</b>
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP04/008839	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE June 17, 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED June 18, 2003
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>BLOWER</b>		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <b>ARINAGA et al.</b>		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371 and 37 CFR 1.491.</li> <li>2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371 and 37 CFR 1.491.</li> <li>3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)).</li> <li>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (PCT Article 31).</li> <li>5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 USC 371(c)(2))           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</li> </ol> </li> <li>6. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 USC 371(c)(2)).</li> <li>7. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 USC 371(c)(3))           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.</li> <li>d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</li> </ol> </li> <li>8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 USC 371(c)(3)).</li> <li>9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 USC 371(c)(4)).</li> <li>10. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 USC 371(c)(5)).</li> <li>11. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Form (CRF)</li> <li>b. Specification Sequence Listing on:               <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or</li> <li>ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Paper Copy</li> </ol> </li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Statement verifying identity of above copies</li> </ol> </li> </ol>		
<b>Items 12 to 19 below concern other document(s) or information included:</b>		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form PTO-1449</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Copies of References (except for U.S. patents and applications)</li> </ul> </li> <li>13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An assignment for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</li> <li>14. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment.           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.</li> </ul> </li> <li>15. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</li> <li>16. <input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.</li> <li>17. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application Data Sheet Under 37 CFR 1.76</li> <li>18. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt Postcard</li> <li>19. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210)</li> </ol>		

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20. The following fees are submitted:						CALCULATIONS	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)):</b> (\$300 filing fee + \$200 examination fee + \$500 search fee) ..... \$1,000.00						PTO USE ONLY	
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CLAIMS		NUMBER FILED		NUMBER EXTRA		RATE	
Total Claims		16		-20=		x \$ 50.00	
Independent Claims		3		- 3 =		x \$200.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable)</b>						+\$360.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Application Size Fee</b> (\$250 for each additional 50 sheets over 100)						\$	
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Surcharge</b> of \$130.00 for furnishing the National fee or oath or declaration later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date						\$	
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS=						\$1,000.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.						\$( )	
SUBTOTAL=						\$1,000.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing English Translation later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date.						\$	
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE=						\$1,000.00	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee for recording the enclosed assignment. The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet. \$40.00 per property						+	
TOTAL FEE=						\$1,040.00	
						Amount to be:	
						refunded	\$
						charged:	\$ 1,040.00
a. <input type="checkbox"/> No fee is believed to be due. b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 the total fee indicated above. c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.							
<b>NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.</b>							
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